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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
ROMOLO MONTANARI, ET AL. : EXAMINER: RANDY BOYER
SERIAL NO: 10/539,058 :
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FOR: PROCESS FOR THE CONVERSION :
OF HEAVY FEEDSTOCKS SUCH AS
HEAVY CRUDE OILS AND
DISTILLATION RESIDUES

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated February 3, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.